

Senate File 2331 - Introduced

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BY COMMITTEE ON HUMAN
RESOURCES

(SUCCESSOR TO SSB 3055)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to participation of chiropractors in the hawk-i
2 program.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 514I.5, subsection 8, paragraph e,
2 Code Supplement 2009, is amended by adding the following new
3 subparagraph:

4 NEW SUBPARAGRAPH. (16) Chiropractic services.

5 Sec. 2. Section 514I.6, Code Supplement 2009, is amended by
6 adding the following new subsection:

7 NEW SUBSECTION. 7. Permit any chiropractor licensed under
8 chapter 151 who is located in the geographic coverage area
9 served by the plan and who agrees to abide by the plan's terms,
10 conditions, reimbursement rates, and quality standards to serve
11 as a participating provider in any plan offered to eligible
12 children under this chapter, including but not limited to a
13 limited provider network plan as defined in section 514C.13.

14 EXPLANATION

15 This bill provides that chiropractic services are a
16 benefit to be included in a qualified child health plan under
17 the hawk-i program. Additionally, the bill directs that
18 participating insurers are to permit a licensed chiropractor
19 located in the geographic coverage area served by the insurer's
20 plan who agrees to abide by the plan's terms, conditions,
21 reimbursement rates, and quality standards to serve as
22 a participating provider in any plan offered to eligible
23 children, including a limited provider network plan.